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The News

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RED DEER, ALBERTA, JULY 22nd, 1908.

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30 pairs Men's Patent Oxfords.
 15 " " Tan " "
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 On sale at about half regular prices.

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10 pairs Ladies' Tan Blucher and Oxfords
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The above fine shoes are all new and up-to-date. Our reason for putting them on sale at sacrifice prices is because we will not carry them over. Come and see us. Full range of sizes.

EVERYBODY WELCOME.

R. C. Brumpton.
 THE GREAT DAYLIGHT STORE.
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WE SELL STANFIELD'S UNDERWEAR.

The Visiting Journalists.

To-day at 12.30 a special train bearing about one hundred and thirty members of the Minnesota Editorial Association will arrive in Red Deer and they will be entertained by the Board of Trade to a luncheon in the Lyric Theatre. Afterwards members of the party will be driven around the town and out in the country to see the sights.

The following committees were appointed at the last meeting of the Board of Trade to entertain the visitors:
 Reception—Mayor Gaetz, President Brumpton, Vice President Botterill, Secretary Munro, Carswell, Galbraith and all the members of the Board.
 Decoration—Welliver, H. Wallace, Stone, Ilsey and Brown.
 Tables—Clarke, McKee, Snell and H. G. Munro.

Programme—R. L. Gaetz, Crawford and Galbraith.
 Drive—The President and G. W. Smith.
 Ushering—Welliver, Collier, Hill and Carlyle Moore.

Everything possible will be done to make the visitors welcome to Red Deer. The ladies have undertaken to give them a hearty welcome at the Lyric, where tables will be spread for the occasion.

The Journalists are travelling under the special direction of Frank G. Meyst, of the Kellogg Printing Co., of Minneapolis, and of Capt. Whitney, of the St. Paul Pioneer Press. The Canadian Government is represented by W. J. Whyte, of the Immigration Department.

A Railway West.

In the supplementary estimates brought down in the Dominion House of Commons was an item of considerable interest to Red Deer, namely a subsidy to the C. P. R. for a line of railway from near Red Deer to the Rocky Mountain House, seventy miles west. Without doubt, Red Deer is to be a prominent point on the C. P. R. system. The new steel bridge which is being built, the miles of siding, the extensive coal chute just completed, the making of Red Deer a divisional point, all go to show something is doing and our town will yet figure on the map as a railway centre in the heart of Alberta.

H. B. Ames Coming.

H. B. Ames, M. P., the man who does so much in the House of Commons in exposing the timber limit steals that have startled the people of the west, will be in Red Deer on August 11th, and will address a mass meeting in the Lyric Theatre. Every elector who is interested in good government should hear him. M. S. McCarthy, M. P., C. Hebert, M. P., and G. F. Root will be present and take part in the meeting.

The Crops.

Never in the history of Central Alberta have the crops presented a better appearance at this time of the year than now. There is promise of a heavy yield and the warm dry weather is filling out the grain in fine shape. The farmers are all busy with their hay preparatory to getting at their grain crops next month.

Some Necessary Things to Take to The Lake.

Lime Juice
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Swimming Bags
 Bathing Caps
 Sponges
 Toilet Waters
 Creams, etc.

(See our window.)

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The Hansen Case.

Mr. Crawford, advocate for the plaintiff in the now famous case of Hansen v. The Canadian Pacific Railway Co., last night got a wire from Ottawa that the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council in England had refused to grant the defendant company leave to appeal to that tribunal, which is the highest in the United Kingdom. The company secured the services of Sir Edward Findlay, one of the most eminent counsel in England, to appear before the learned Lords and obtain leave to appeal the case to them, but they refused to interfere with the decision of the trial judge, Mr. Justice Stuart, who tried the case at Red Deer, and whose decision has been unanimously upheld by the full Court of Alberta and the Supreme Court of Canada. Mr. Hansen will now get his \$8,500 damages after almost three years fight, and the company have to pay all the costs, which will now amount to several thousand dollars.

Terminated Fatally.

The death took place on Saturday last of Jas. J. Shea, a young man aged 25 years old who had been working on the bridge gang of the C.P.R. at this point. The Sunday before he was in bathing with some of his companions in water just over his head. He was noticed to sink and not coming to the surface his companion got him out, doctor was called and he was resuscitated and thought to be on the mend but pneumonia set in and he died as above stated. The body was prepared for burial by H. G. Stone and shipped to his home in the East. He was born at Tyndinaga and was a member of Deseronto, Ont., C.M.B.A. and wore the badge of his order on his breast. He was the sole support of a crippled father, a brother having strangely enough been drowned in a similar manner some years ago.

The Pork Commission.

A meeting of the Pork Commission will be held at Red Deer on Thursday and Friday July 30 and 31. The Commissioners will arrive at Red Deer on the noon train on the 30th and will hold the first session Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Fire Hall. There will be another session on Friday the 31st.
 Any person having evidence to give upon the conditions surrounding the marketing and handling of pork and pork products in the province and the advisability or otherwise of Governmental establishment of or assistance to a pork plant or plants, and with reference to the cost, capacity, plan of management and scope of operation thereof or the best means of securing for the hog raiser a fair price for his products is respectfully requested to attend.

EMBARGO REMAINS.

London, July 20.—In the course of today's Sturges, on behalf of the board of trade, said the government had no present intention of removing the embargo on Canadian cattle.

Large crowds at the Lake.

A Novel Oven.

W. H. Hadley installed a new oven at his residence for baking bread that is entirely original. The idea started with H. Bradford, foreman for Smith & Gaetz, the hardware men, who was asked by Mr. Hadley for an oven that would hold the heat and yet would bake a quantity of bread at once. A sheet iron oven seven thick-nesses, an air chamber between, and asbestos lining is some of the general features, and the oven will bake 50 loaves at once, doing its work thoroughly and well. It may be too early to predict absolute success, but, no doubt, the idea is a good one, and has been adopted by Mr. Bradford in a most original way, the way that many very important discoveries are made. Mr. Hadley is greatly tickled over the oven and predicts great things for it.

Annual Picnic.

The annual picnic of the people of Red Deer and the country surrounding Sylvan Lake will be held at Sylvan Lake on Friday next, 24th inst. The following is the program:

1. Football. Kick off 10.30. 1st, silver medals won by H. J. Snell.
2. 100 Yds. Boys under 12. 1st, pair of running shoes by W. T. Coote.
3. 100 Yds. Girls, 10 and under. 1st, pair of scissors by F. H. Tallman. 2nd, box of chocolates by W. E. Lord Co.
4. Potato race, (Girls). 1st, brooch by Mrs. Hadley.
5. 100 yds. girls' race, open. 1st, fountain pen by G. G. Coote.
6. Sack race. 1st, pair of suspenders by C. E. Hall.
7. Fat women's race. 1st, pair of shoes by Alex. Loiselle. 2nd, bale of hay by Smith & Gaetz.
8. 220 yds. race, open. 1st, box of cigars by Stickland & Reed.
9. Married women's race. 1st, ladies' fancy collar by Hill, Murphy & Co. 2nd, pair of kid gloves by R. G. Brumpton.
10. Spinsters' race. 1st, sterling silver souvenir spoon by H. H. Humber.
11. Long jump. 1st, camp cup by R. B. Welliver.
12. Hop, step and jump, 1st, pipe by Gaetz & Gaetz.
13. High jump. 1st, penknife by Messrs. Greene & Payne.
14. Putting the weight. 1st, cuff links by L. G. Tennant.
15. Tug of war. 1st, six ties by Wallace & Gaetz. 2nd, box of cigars by Arvington hotel.
16. Girls' pony race. 1st, \$1.50 by E. Porter. 2nd, \$1.00 by Dr. R. M. Smith.
17. Boys' pony race. 1st, currycomb and brush by Smith & Gaetz.
18. Boat race (from Greene & Payne's boat house). 1st, box of cigars by Alberta hotel.

Refreshments on ground.
 Ice cream. Lemonade. Candies.
 Hot meals also provided.

The Gun Club.

The regular shoot of the Red Deer Gun Club Monday evening was not as largely attended as usual, owing to a number of the members being out of town. The following is the score:

- Class A.—Ware, 12; Cottingham, 18; Carswell, 13; Plaxton, 16; Marr, 15; Stephenson, 17; Drake, 13; Kennedy, 17; and Cramer, of Calgary, a visitor, 16.
 Plaxton, gold button, Cottingham, silver, and Stephenson bronze on an exciting shoot off with Kennedy.
 Class B.—Parsons, 16; J. Brumpton, 11; Huskins, 13; L. M. Gaetz, 15. Parsons took the gold button, L. M. Gaetz the silver, and Huskins the bronze.

THE RED DEER STORE

Midsummer Sale of Muslins & Waists.

These goods must be sold, and we are offering the following prices to clear our stock:

40c. Muslins now 30c.
30c. " " 25c.
20c. " " 15c.
12½c. " " 10c.

All new stock and lovely goods, but they must be sold.

White Muslin Mull and Lawn Waists, all this season's purchase, at the following prices:

\$4.00 now \$3.25
3.25 " 2.75
2.25 " 1.85
1.50 " 1.25
1.25 " 1.00
85c. " 75c.

Call and inspect our stock, and you will be satisfied that quality and prices are right and cannot be beaten in Town.

GAETZ & GAETZ.

RED DEER.

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F. H. TALLMAN.

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Repairs to all kinds of machinery promptly executed. The works are fitted throughout by most modern new machinery driven by 5 h.p. engine.

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Town and Farm Properties for sale.
Kindly List your property with us.
Agents "Magnet" Cream Separators.

Mr. Root's Fiscal Policy.

The Advocate has on more than one occasion taken exception to Mr. Root's tariff policy. "He thinks he does not know where he is at. He is supporting a protectionist leader and party, though he publicly stated at the Borden meeting at Red Deer, that under the tariff the Canadian ranchers lost all the money they were compelled to pay in duties on cattle shipped to the States, that under the tariff Alberta farmers paid 30 per cent more to the Canadian manufacturer than the goods were worth and that this government protection was an expensive luxury." This is not a verbatim report. It is the Advocate editor's interpretation of Mr. Root's words. A large audience heard that speech. Mr. Root was not talking politics. He was presenting the difficulties of the cattle business to the attention of the leaders of the Conservative party, and trying to make plain what the farmers felt they had a right to expect from the government. His closing remark emphasizes his aim: "These are a few of the evils, Mr. Borden, which we expect you to remedy after the next election." Speaking to legislators, he discussed those things which can be remedied by legislation. As Mr. Root has worked in season and out of season for better market conditions, he gave the details of the now historic cattle shipment to Chicago in September, 1907. He said, "We did not lose money on this shipment as our bankers will substantiate, but we brought back just \$2,585 less than we should have cleared. We charge this loss to the government, as it is responsible for the lack of reciprocity between Canada and the United States. We of the North West are compelled to pay 30 percent more for manufactured articles than they are worth, and to sell our products for 27 1-2 per cent less than they are worth. Truly this government protection of our industries is a most expensive luxury." This statement is in thorough harmony with the tenets of protection as practiced in the two most notable protection countries in the world. It is also in harmony with the doctrine of the Conservative party in Canada. It is no part of a protective policy to put a tariff on what a man buys without protecting him on what he sells. What he produces for market is to be protected by such tariff regulations as will secure to him a market that will enable him to continue to produce, and this principle applies to the farmer raising grain and the feeder raising steers just as well as to the manufacturer of machinery or textile fabrics. But this government with its pretended free trade policy, or its tariff for revenue only, and its high tariff practices makes the farmers and ranchers of the North West pay toll both ways. It extracts tariff for revenue, tariff for bonuses, tariff for surpluses, tariff for reckless and extravagant expenditure, and then its representatives have the effrontery to stand before intelligent audiences and pose as free traders and quote Cobden and Smith and Ruskin and George as authorities. It was a Conservative of our own province who tried to have the tariff on farm machinery reduced. Mr. McCarthy understood conditions here and tried to remedy them but the Liberals voted down the measure. Again this year Mr. Lake (Conservative) brought to the attention of parliament the fact that nearly all raw materials used by the manufacturers were brought in free, but that farm machinery, the raw material necessary to the production of grain, was still taxed a tariff of 17 1-2 per cent, and the Liberals were solid in opposing any relief to the farmer. Even if all that the Advocate says of the inflexible attitude of the U. S. to a reciprocity treaty with Canada is true, it has no bearing on this question. Mr. Root is contending for reciprocal arrangements on specific articles, and surely in view of the \$400,000,000 worth of American goods which Canada admits annually free of duty from the U. S., a very crude diplomacy would be able to secure some benefits to agriculture in exchange. Given the American market for cattle and wheat

the Canadian farmer is in a position to pay tariff on his binder. He buys one binder in ten years and perhaps pays \$15 duty. If the Chicago market were open he would receive \$15 extra profit on one steer. He sells not one steer in ten years, but probably ten steers in one year, so that given a square deal from the government, the same protection to the farmer that is accorded the manufacturer and every industry will prosper. Now all the dust puffed up over Mr. Root's protection ideas fails to hide the illogical, inconsistent and burdensome fiscal policy of the Liberal party. Minister Fielding has maintained a most drastic system of high tariff, drawing from the channels of Canadian industrial life a surplus of \$97,000,000. A surplus that pays no bills, earns no dividends, encourages no production. Sir Wilfrid gives a straight denial to free trade tendencies at the preferential debate. He said "But if the British government were to tell us in Canada: We are prepared to adopt free trade if you are prepared to adopt free trade, that will give you the preference you seek, I should have to say for Canada that we are not prepared to do that because we must insist upon our system of customs duties in order to raise our revenue. If we were to go and ask the Canadian parliament or people to abandon their present system of present customs duties for revenue purposes, the whole of the Canadian people would say: 'No we are not prepared to do that. We must insist upon our present system.' And the present system even goes so far as putting back the duty on sugar which the Conservative party had taken off. The exponent of Liberalism for this riding calls protection to the bar of the authorities and claims that the authorities on trade and tariff were unanimously in favor of free trade in their writings. Now if the Advocate will kindly reconcile the practices of Mr. Fielding, the statement of Sir Wilfrid, and the Liberal platform with such authorities as Adam Smith, Bastiat, Ruskin, Spencer, Mill, Peel, Russell, Bright and Cobden, he will have performed a public service for those who are trying to locate the principles of Liberalism. As for Mr. Root's doctrine, it is satisfactory to the leaders of the Conservative party, to the Conservative electors of this riding, and to the farmers and ranchers and business men irrespective of party. It defends itself, and the more it is attacked by the subsidized press of the province the more it will be studied by the people. If the truth must be told, it is the other party who can't quite tell where Mr. Root is at. He will know more about it after election.

Canada Will Have To Pay Over \$190,000,000 For G. T. P.

Mr. R. L. Borden Presents a Carefully Prepared Estimate of the Cost of the Undertaking to the House.

Ottawa, July 7.—A carefully prepared statement was read by Mr. Borden in the house tonight showing that the total cash cost of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway to the people of Canada will be \$191,303,823, to which is to be added a bond guarantee of \$58,400,000, a total of nearly \$250,000,000.

It was expected that the minister of railways would address the house on the G. T. P. project and the opposition leader prepared a table, based on returns brought down earlier in the session, and when the item for \$30,000,000 for surveys and construction was called, Mr. Graham was asked what about his statement and he replied that it was yet to be prepared.

Mr. Borden then gave the house the benefit of his computations, to which Mr. Graham did not reply. The cost, said Mr. Borden, was a staggering amount for the country to face under present conditions. At the rate we were going at the time the road was completed the public debt of Canada would amount to \$450,000,000, unless we could spend some of this money out of the revenue and this was extremely unlikely. It was for this reason that he thought it advisable to call the attention of the government to what he considered would be the total cost of the railway. Eastern division construction of railway from Moncton to Winnipeg, 1,803 miles, at an estimate cost of \$83,420 per mile,

\$114,395,785.

Allowing five years for period of construction there will be an average of 2 1-2 years simple interest at 3 1-2 per cent, per year during construction, or \$4,003,781.87 per year for 2 1-2 years, \$10,009,454.

Cost of the eastern division at completion will thus be \$124,403,239. To this must be added seven years interest at 3 per cent, (compounded) after completion during which the G. T. P. is to pay no rent, \$26,124,676.

Also interest at 3 per cent, for three years additional during which no rent is collectable, unless earnings are sufficient, \$11,196,400, total \$161,724,125.

Cost of Quebec bridge up to 1st of March, 1907, \$5,422,239. Estimated cost of completion, \$9,000,000—\$14,422,238.

Estimated cost of our share of terminals at Quebec, Winnipeg and Moncton and shops east of Winnipeg, \$5,470,000, total \$181,616,423.

The cost of Mountain section—839 miles, as stated in returns brought down, \$61,520,000. Seventy-five per cent, of the above—\$46,140,000—to be guaranteed by the government for construction of mountain section.

And the government agrees to pay without recourse the interest on bonds guaranteed for seven years, which at 3 1-2 per cent., amounts to \$9,659,400.

A total cash expenditure of \$191,303,823.

The bond guarantee in addition to the above cash expenditure, the government incurs the following obligations on its guarantee of bonds.

Issue on mountain section as above \$46,140,000.

Guarantee of bond issue on prairie section, 916 miles at \$13,000 per mile, \$11,908,000.

Total, \$58,048,000.

Cash expenditure, \$191,303,823.

Bond guarantee, \$58,048,000.

Total, \$249,353,823.

The opposition leader gave the various early estimates of the cost of the road. Sir Wilfrid Laurier had estimated the total cost to the country at between \$12,000,000 and \$13,000,000.

Mr. Borden said he, himself had estimated the cost of the eastern section at \$75,000,000, and some of his friends on the government side of the house had declared this estimate to be wide of the mark.

Intercolonial estimates to the amount of \$744,495 were passed. On the vote of \$1,261,550 for mail and steamship subsidies the item for a direct subsidy between P. E. I. and Great Britain was struck out.

Mr. Borden in the house today corrected the statement he made last night, as to the cost of the Grand Trunk Pacific. In computing the interests charges for seven years on the bonds guaranteed for the mountain section, he figured on a rate of 3 per cent, whereas it should have been 3 1-2 per cent., making \$1,500,000 to be added to the total cost.

WHICH IS YOUR CHOICE?

(Edmonton Journal.)

The Laurier government have introduced a resolution approving of the establishment of an All-Red line, for which they propose to tax the people of Canada at least a million dollars annually.

This All-Red scheme simply means the rapid transportation across Canada of passengers and mails from England to the Antipodes. This is the Liberal view.

The Conservatives on the other hand, proposed that the government should not commit Canada to this scheme, but that more favorable freight rates and a thoroughly efficient system of cold storage are essential features of any such transportation project.

This resolution was, of course, voted down, and thus a clean issue placed before the people. An All-Red route for mails and passengers, or an all-freight route with favorable rates and efficient cold storage facilities. The latter is what the Conservatives will give the farmers of the West, if returned to power. The farmer can sit on the fence and see palatial All-Red trains speeding by at a cost to the country of a million dollars, if the Laurier government are returned to office. Which is your choice?

Heat prostrates the nerves. In the summer one needs a tonic to off-set the customary hot weather Nerve and Strength depression. You will feel better within 48 hours after beginning to take such a remedy as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Its prompt action in restoring the weakened nerves is surprising. Of course, you won't get entirely strong in a few days, but each day you can actually feel the improvement. That tired, lifeless, spiritless feeling will quickly depart when using the Restorative. Dr. Shoop's Restorative will sharpen a falling appetite; it aids digestion; it will strengthen the weakened Kidneys and Heart by simply rebuilding the worn-out nerves that these organs depend upon. Test it a few days and be convinced. Sold by Brown's Pharmacy.

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One capable of answering the phone. Apply to MRS. DR. COLLISON.

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Fresh cut Lettuce daily.

Home Made Bread

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Proprietor.

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Red Deer Directory.

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Secretary, M. A. Munroe.

Red Deer Exhibition Association Ltd

President, Hy. Jamieson.
Secretary R. B. Welliver.

Railway Time Table

North-bound 12.00 a.m.
" 7.50 p.m.
South-bound 11.50 a.m.
" 7.40 p.m.
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AN INGLORIOUS WOUND.

The Hard Luck That Was Handed Out to the Old Veteran.

On one of the volunteer ranges in the north of England is a well known old Irish sergeant, who has charge of the target. He is a man of about 60 years of age, and has been through three wars—the Crimean, the Indian mutiny and the Chinese—and during the whole of that time never received a single wound.

Old W., as he is called, occasionally acts as a marker at the target, and his utter recklessness has become a proverb.

He has been known to walk forth from behind the target with the slightest warning and touch up a bullet, or to be seen with his hand to the target to note the exact position of a shot.

At all remonstrances he would snuff contemptuously.

"Me be shot? Me? he would ask. "Why, I've hit through three wars and was never shot yet. Pabl Phwat's a bit of lead flying through the air!" And he would assume an air of disgust.

It actually occurred, however, at last, and he was shot through the shoulder.

For a moment, as frequently happens with rifle shots, such is his terrible force, he did not know he was struck; then when he observed the blood streaming down his arm, he commenced to walk down the range, right in the line of fire.

It was seen that something was wrong, and they hurried to meet him. As he did so he tottered and had to be carried.

"Shot!" he groaned, with a look of shame. "Shot and by a Saturday afternoon soldier!"—London Tit-Bits.

QUEER TEACHING.

A Glimpse of the One Time Methods in Scotch Schools.

To the work of supervisor of schools in Scotland Mr. John Kerr devoted a number of years in his book, "Old Memories, Old and New," he has set down some amusing illustrations of the unintelligent way in which the school work was conducted.

The revised code of education which was introduced in 1882 made provision for nothing but reading, writing and arithmetic in the primary schools. There was no suggestion about grammar, geography, history or intelligence in any study. Explanation of the reading lesson was not demanded, and the teacher was expected to teach the meaning of the words in the text.

The following is an example: The lesson was one giving an account of a clever man who had rescued a child from drowning. It was said that the dog was caused by the parents of the child. I asked what was the meaning of the word "rescued," and the answer came at once, "Made of fond led."

On referring to the list of words at the end of the page I found that the meaning of "rescued" was, "made of fond led."

Wishing to find out if any child in the class had got a stamping at the meaning, I went from top to bottom and got from every child nothing but "made of fond led," pronounced as four words, to which they attached no meaning whatever.

The teacher was surprised that I was not satisfied with the intelligence of the teaching.

A Tenor's Rebuke.

Roger, the great French tenor, a sensitive soul, was prone to take offense at any slight, whether intentional or not. On one occasion he was engaged for 1,200 francs to sing at the house of a wealthy financier. Roger sang his first song magnificently, and the host paid him the slightest attention, and the guests continued to talk their loudest. Presently the host thought the time had come for another song, and sent for Roger. He could not be found, and that evening was seen no more. Next day there came a note from him, saying that he had left for 1,200 francs, and also at 11 a.m. on 1st Sunday of every month.

"I have the honor to return the 1,200 francs which I received for singing at your function, and I beg leave to add 800 francs thereto for having so greatly disturbed the conversation of your guests."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Beecher's Wedding Feast.

When Collis P. Huntington was married for the second time Henry Ward Beecher performed the marriage ceremony. Huntington's first wife had been dead less than a year, and he had desired the second marriage kept secret until his return from Europe. He gave Mr. Beecher a marriage fee of \$1,500. When Huntington returned some months later he went through a public ceremony, and Mr. Beecher again officiated. He gave Beecher another fee of \$1,500. The great preacher had his honor aroused by his second fee. Turning to Huntington, he said, "Collis, I to wish you were a Mormon."—Lyceum and Talent.

The Retort Venomous.

"So this is your widely advertised dollar table d'hôte dinner, is it?" said the indignant woman as he was pushed aside an entire which he could not mistake. "Why, this is the last place in the world I would recommend to friends."

"Don't blame you, sir," said the deaf waiter. "Send your enemies here."

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RED DEER EXHIBITION.

Big Crowd, Splendid Show of Stock, First Class Sports.

The annual show of the Red Deer Exhibition Association was held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday last, and a great number of the numerous attractions such as the Dominion Exhibition at Calgary and depression in the money market the gate receipts were about the same as last year.

Wednesday was taken up with entries, and Thursday being showery there was not a very large attendance of spectators.

The show of stock and horses was good, but not as large as last year. G. F. Root took the lead in Shorthorns, while Mr. Trimble in Ayrshires, Mr. Sharman in Jerseys, and Mr. Brown in Jerseys, showed up well.

In horses Mr. Root's splendid Percheron Parsifal attracted most attention.

The flowers and grasses were first class, Mr. A. P. Olson, as usual, taking the lead in native grasses. Mrs. Tallman took first in flowers with a magnificent display, her ferns especially being greatly admired.

The ladies' work was better than ever shown in Red Deer, there being a number of splendid exhibits, and the competition was most keen and interesting.

The children's exhibit, which was a new feature this year, was most successful, thanks to the energy and enthusiasm of Inspector Boyce, there was an extensive array of exhibits—240 entries in all—from all over the Insular Empire. A large number of teachers took an active interest in encouraging their pupils to compete.

The writing was confined to the junior classes, and was very creditable, the first dozen or so showing excellent work. There were some very good specimens in drawing, but a number of individual entries were not uniform in the quality of the work. The prize maps of Alberta deserve very high praise; they are an education in themselves. The nature study collections attracted the most attention, and they are worthy of it. Mrs. Wainwright in the Red Deer School got third, which was a very good standing against their more experienced competitors.

During Thursday there was a cricket match between Red Deer and Blackfalds, resulting in a win for Red Deer by a big score.

Springvale.

The Springvale Sunday School held their annual picnic in Mr. Coram's pasture field on Saturday last and had a fine day for the merrymaking although it was a little warm. There was a small attendance owing to some of the farmers having started haying, but some notable personages were present, namely Mr. Harry Evans Esq., of Red Deer, who assisted at the stand and also showed the country back to back to the football, Mr. Daniel Code of Edwells who was master of sports, and Mr. William Panshot of nowhere in particular, who seemed to get himself generally in the way. A football match between Springvale and Hillsdown resulted in neither side scoring and it was too warm to play off. The crowd dispersed to their several homes shortly after supper.

Arthur Ross while having a friendly wrestle on Saturday last had the misfortune to break his collar bone which will give him an enforced rest for a couple of months.

Crops are looking well in this part of the country, many fields being well headed out. Haying has commenced in some parts.

C. P. R. Can Handle Crop.

Montreal, July 13.—"The Canadian Pacific Railway knows the crop prospects of the West as well and probably better than anybody else, and there is not the slightest doubt that they will be in position to handle the business as far as their resources go when the time comes." This was the reply of Mr. G. M. Bosworth, fourth vice-president of the C. P. R., this afternoon to the despatches that have been repeatedly sent out from the West of late accusing the Canadian railroads of apathy in connection with the anticipated big crop of wheat to be hauled out this fall.

Pain will depart in exactly 20 minutes if one of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets is taken. Pain anywhere, Remember! Pain always means congestion, blood pressure—nothing else. Headache is blood pressure; toothache is blood pressure on the sensitive nerve. Dr. Shoop's Headache Tablets—also called Pink Pain Tablets—quickly and safely coax this blood pressure away from pain centres. Painful periods with women get instant relief. 20 Tablets 25c. Sold by Brown's Pharmacy.

The baseball game between Red Deer and Leduc resulted in favor of the home team by 17 to 7. The Red Deer team consisted of: Porter, p; Preston c; Smith 1b; Wilson, second base; Moore s; a; Hamilton 3b; B. Rasmussen rf; F. L. Leduc lf; J. Mann lf. Umpire, Northing.

The lacrosse game fell also to Red Deer by a score of 7 to 1.

The Red Deer team were: Ross, Coleman, R. Walton, Bannan, Halderton, Mann, Main, Brumpton, Bingham, Swanson, Windford, Porter.

Referee—Payne.

The play was somewhat rough, but that is always to be expected in new teams. The game was a good one and the teams fairly matched, but Red Deer's home play was superior and the shooting on goal first class, while Lacombe's home failed in their throwing on goal. This will no doubt be remedied, when the northern town will give our boys all they want to do.

The combination play and catching of the home team was also superior to the visitors.

FIREMEN'S SPORTS.

On Friday the Red Deer Firemen held their annual tournament in connection with the fair and a large number of visiting fire fighters were present from Calgary, Lacombe and Leduc and a jolly good day's sport was put up. Following were the events:

Hose reel race, dry test—Lacombe 1st, 37.2 seconds; Red Deer 2nd, 41.1 seconds; Calgary 3rd, 41.1 seconds.

Ladder team race—Red Deer, Blain 1st, 194; Calgary, Miller's team, and then Sneider's team and Moore's team, all 20 sec; Calgary, Miller's team, 21 sec; Leduc, Lyon's team, 25 sec.

100 yards race—E. Smith, Jack Coghlin, 11 seconds.

Coupling—Calgary teams—McKay Henderson, 34 sec; Miller and Turner, 35 seconds; Swayne and Simmons 35 sec; Carter and Noble 36 sec; Leduc, Craig and McMartin, 50 sec; Lacombe, Taylor and Gourley, 44 sec; Red Deer, Gos and Coghlin, 39 sec; Moore and Bawtinheimer, 37 sec; Krause and Taylor, 35 sec; Bell and A. Corbett 44 sec; Sullivan and Davis 45 sec.

Hub and Hub race—Red Deer 26 3/8 seconds, Calgary 27 seconds, Lacombe 27 seconds; Leduc 27 sec. Wet Team—Calgary 30 3/8 seconds, against Red Deer.

Dummy race—McEwen, Calgary, 1st, 28 1/2 sec; G. W. Davis, Red Deer, 2nd, 29 1/2.

NEEDED THE CORK.

A certain John Simmons had been a 20-year abstainer, but fell from the ways of grace and worshipped the vinous god with all the fervor of a convert.

Feeling the need of recuperation he sent his boy to an adjacent hotel for a bottle of whiskey.

"But," cried the hotel proprietor, "who's it for?"

"For my father," said the boy. "Nonsense. Your father is a total abstainer and has been, to my knowledge, for longer years than you've lived."

"Well at all events, he sent me for it."

"What does he want it for?"

"Let him get it," said the boy ashamed to tell the truth, "he's going fishing and he wants the cork to use for a float!"—Philadelphia Enquirer.

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From Bad to Worse.

Vernon News.

Compared with the enormous grafts of the Laurier Government, the Pacific scandal, which drove Sir John A. Macdonald from power in 1878, was mere trifles. The sum total of the accusation then was that the Conservative party had accepted from the promoters of the C.P.R. a sum of about seventy thousand dollars for campaign purposes.

There never was a suggestion or a suspicion that a single dollar of this money found its way into the private purse of any member of the Government, neither was it used as a corruption fund, but simply was a contribution towards the legitimate expenses of the campaign.

And yet Sir Donald A. Smith, the Conservative member for Winnipeg, now Lord Strathcona, laid incumbent upon himself to personally withdraw his allegiance from the Conservative party upon the high ground that it was not consistent with the honor of Canada that any government should remain in power with such a charge hanging over it.

So much for the Pacific scandal, yet history repeat itself? Will there be found in the House of Commons one single Liberal supporter of Sir William Laurier who will rise in his place and declare that he cannot continue to support a government which is a party to such an enormous fraud as is being developed in connection with the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific? It is not likely.

The Liberals of to-day who sit in the Commons are not of that stripe. There has never been a murmur from them over the appalling disclosures which have disgraced the Liberal party and stained the fair name of Canada. They stood up for the Government in refusing an investigation in election frauds of the most compromising nature. They laughed at the charge that the Liberal party was a party to such an enormous fraud as is being developed in connection with the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific? It is not likely.

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THE LIMIT.

The Calgary Albertan in speaking of the belief held by many that the embargo on Canadian cattle entering Great Britain will be removed in the near future and the efforts made by certain people along this line says:

"Probably no person in Canada has accomplished more in this respect than Dr. Clark, the Liberal candidate for the Dominion riding of Red Deer, who stumped a number of ridings in Great Britain during the last two elections and lost no opportunity of telling the people there of the real effect of this unfair prohibition. And if the embargo is removed, as it seems probable that it will be removed, Western Canada owes much to Dr. Clark of Olds."

Can one be pardoned for claiming such tommy-rot as the limit? Why Dr. Clark has not only been in Alberta a few years and before coming to Alberta probably knew about as much regarding the embargo as one of the lightly clad Doukabors who have been wandering over the plains of Saskatchewan. And he was a lot fresher. Swelling with his importance during his last public address here he said more people attended a football match in England than lived in Alberta, which was a most conclusive reason why people should vote for him in Alberta, and is as reasonable as that he has had any influence towards the removal of the embargo. True he went to England for three months last year, at the expense of the taxpayers, to talk up emigration, but a third of that time was taken up with going and coming and no doubt he had a jolly good time the rest of his time as he got \$75.01 for the trip. We doubt if there is a settler in Alberta to-day who was influenced to come here by the doctor's eloquence, and as for the claim that he has done more than any one of the hundreds of statesmen of Canada who have wrestled with this vexed question for years, the contention is too absurdly ridiculous for anything.

The Provincial government tried to kill the Stock Growers' association by refusing to countenance it or render any assistance. The Dominion government did likewise. The C.P.R. contributed its quota as an obstructionist; but the association continued to grow. Farmers were learning that they could keep their hogs and cattle until fall and butcher them and find their own customers in B. C., thus saving the profit of the middleman. But the beef combine got no profit out of that so the government passed a meat inspection bill to drive the products of the farm back into the old channels of trade all of them running to one combine. The beef commission, the pork commission and all other commissions appointed by the Edmonton government have had but one aim, to hold the attention of the people and demand a suspension of their judgment, while the government accomplished nothing. This was protection to the vested rights of monopoly and pretended friendship to the farmers and ranchers. But it is too raw. Not only Mr. Root and a large number of ranchers, but the farmers' organizations and the business men, are infuriated with this double shuffle game that is impoverishing a whole people. The history of the beef question can only lead to the conclusion, that matters between the government and the beef combine are not very different than between the government and timber limits.

A Strathcona paper is finding fault with its member for not getting more for that city. Strathcona only got \$10,000 for an armory, \$5,000 for public buildings, and \$2,000 for improvements. Well, when you scan the estimates, you can not find one dollar for Red Deer. We have been treated worse than any town or city in Alberta by the powers that be, but a time is coming when the Conservative government will be in power, and with our member, Geo. F. Root, to speak for us, Red Deer will come in for her own.

The machine politicians have thrown off the mask and have openly informed local Liberals that they must get in line or be drummed out of the party. The patronage of this constituency has been handed over to Dr. Clark, who has not even won his spurs or stood defeat. There are a number of Liberals who will not stand for this outrage, and the valiant doctor is getting things in such an awful muddle that he will not have a corporal's guard at his back in this district if the scrapping continues much longer.

The whole machinery of the Provincial government will soon be in full swing for Dr. Clark. The weed inspectors, the mange inspectors, the license inspectors, and all the other officials will be working every side line for the Liberal party. But their day has come. The people have taken the matter in hand and the grafter and bootler will stand no chance when the people become aroused. Very soon the Conservative party will be returned to power, and then the officials who have made themselves obnoxious will get their deserts. Their time is coming.

THREE LACOMBE BOOSTS.

This is how the Liberal government respect the representatives of the people. When the people of the Rosbud Riding declared against Dr. Clark at the Provincial election, he was made immigration agent to England and the people paid the bill. That was boost number one. Although the electors made C. Hiebert their representative at Edmonton, the government turned the provincial patronage over to Dr. Clark whom the people had rejected. Boost number two. Dr. McIntyre who was elected to represent this riding refuses to make an appointment on the ground that the Red Deer riding has been turned over to Dr. Clark a mere aspirant for office, a man who is awaiting the verdict of the people. Boost number three.—Camrose Mail.

We understand Dr. Clark has been proclaimed the great mogul of the Liberal machine in the Red Deer constituency, and the little dark room brigade has extended to him the patronage, over the heads of the Liberal associations to which it properly belongs. That there are a number of Liberals of the old school who will not stand for this, we feel assured, and there will be "wigs on the green" before the scrap is over. In the meanwhile the valiant doctor, like the Irishman, appears to be anxious for somebody to tread on the tail of his coat.

SECRECY OF THE BALLOT.

Ottawa, July 14.—In the House on the Aylesworth bill, on the section to provide that no ballot paper shall be spotted by any mark placed thereon. Mr. Aylesworth suggested a compromise to meet a suggestion by the opposition leader. The suggestion was to make a deputy returning officer liable to a penalty of imprisonment from one to five years if he places on any ballot paper any mark with the intent that the voter may be identified. The suggestion did not quite meet the views of Mr. Borden, however, and he proposed an additional amendment placing the onus of proof on the deputy returning officers that the mark was not placed on the ballot with intent. This was one of the clauses

over which there was so much discussion in the Aylesworth Bill. The Conservative party claimed the marked ballot should not be allowed. That it would lead to corrupt work. That it was inserted with the intent to tell how a person voted and they would not stand for it. The Liberal party, the Conservative party were obstructing the business of the country and should be gagged, and the Liberal press backed them up to a man.

Now all that is changed. By taking a firm decided stand for purity of elections and secrecy of the ballot the Conservative party have won out. The marked ballot was not allowed.

The government have by their action allowed the Conservative party was right, and the country has been saved from having this backward legislation forced upon them.

Never in the history of Canada has a minister met with more signal defeat in trying to put through a crooked measure than that introduced by Mr. Aylesworth and the people at large can now see that the Conservatives were justified in their opposition to the pernicious clause in the bill and that it met with the fate it deserved at the hands of the loyal opposition.

A howl went up when Mr. Root mentioned provincial matters in his speeches last winter, and the Liberal press said provincial matters had nothing to do with dominion affairs, and should be left alone. Now every member of the local government who can speak is busy addressing meetings for Dominion candidates, but the shoe is on the other foot now.

With reference to the so-called "All-Red" scheme Mr. Borden and his colleagues took the right course in Parliament. They refused to endorse a project the particulars of which are not announced and they insisted that any new steamship enterprise that is floated must give the people better freight rates, and a good system of cold storage, or it cannot receive public support.

Is the Advocate trying to knock the government? It admits that the government has failed to open up markets in Germany, France, China, Japan and the United States for our products, but excuses the failure on the ground, that outside government are not friendly, France excepted, to the overtures of the Dominion. We call this damning the government with faint praise. Where is Canada's boasted diplomacy? Of what use is such a government to an agricultural people?

The people are getting tired of the enormous increase in expenditure, waste in the departments, the extravagance of the patronage list, the use of public works and public expenditures to influence constituencies, betrayal of provincial rights, denial of senate reform, timber scandals, etc. It is time for a change.

Get my "Book No. 4 For Women" It will give weak women many valuable suggestions of relief—and with strictly confidential medical advice is entirely free. Simply write Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The book No. 4 tells all about Dr. Shoop's Night Cure and how these soothing, healing, antiseptic suppositories can be successfully applied to correct those weaknesses. Write for the book. Sold by Brown's Pharmacy.

Wanted.

Quantity of second hand furniture in good repair. Apply NEWS OFFICE.

Madame Letellier

The Famous Parisian Palmist, is in Red Deer for a short time.

Madame Letellier located hidden money buried by Ancestors in old iron pots in the south of England. She can also help you. She

READS YOUR LIFE from the cradle to the grave, and gives advice on all affairs. Consultation strictly confidential.

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SUMMER CLEARING SALE

AT HALL'S CASH STORE.

The inducement season is here—The season when you don't care about buying much of anything—when storekeepers have to provide a lot of extra inducements in order to stimulate trade. We have some, and you'll find them here now: the article you want, the quality that'll surprise you, the prices that'll insure your pocket book against a vacuum—are all here too. Wide-awake buyers should all be here to claim their share of what's waiting for them. If you want to see a parade of reasons for purchasing now, just examine our goods closely.

SUMMER GOODS, 5c. Yd.

About 15 pieces in the lot, consisting of Prints, Lawns in red and linen shade, Muslin in navy stripe and several other lines of goods, not one piece in the lot worth less than 10c. yd.—some worth 20c. All go at one price during this Summer Sale.—5c. Yd.

LADIES' WHITE WAISTS, 50c.

Only about 24 to clear at this price. They are all this season's goods, and the regular value was 75c. and \$1.00 each. Yours while they last.—50c. each.

BOYS' SUITS AND BLOUSES, 50c.

2 doz. only Boys' Wash Suits and Blouses, in white and navy with white stripes; fitting boys from 5 to 9 years. Regular values 75c. Sale price, 50c.

WHITE VESTINGS, 20c. Yd.

About 300 yards in this lot, and the regular value is 30c. a yard. They consist of neat designs, in small and medium sized spots, and are guaranteed to laundry beautifully, retaining their original lustre, and will wear extra well. Make beautiful Waists, Skirts or whole white Suits. Now on sale at 20c. Yd.

LADIES' STOCKINGS, 15c.

Another big shipment of these fine fast black Cotton Stockings just at hand. They are the kind that are sold in other stores for 20c. and 25c. pair. Our Special Price, 15c. pair.

FINE VESTING & MADRAS, 15c. Yd.

About 100 pieces of very fine Vestings and Madras, regularly sold from 35c. up to 45c. yd. All one price during this Summer Sale, 25c. Yd.

MEN'S COTTON SOCKS, 4 Pairs for 25c.

Just a dozen in this lot. They are the line that retails regularly for 10c. pair. While they last, our clearing price is 4 pairs for 25c.

MEN'S FINE SOCKS, 15c. Pr.

10 doz. Men's fine Woolen Socks, sold regularly at 25c. pair. They are nice and fine in natural color, and will go rapidly at 15c. pair.

MEN'S NIGHTGOWNS, 2 for 75c.

3 doz. Men's Flannel Nightgowns, the line which usually retails at 75c. in the west. Our Special Price, 2 for 75c.

WHITE SATEN SHIRTS, 50c.

1 doz. only in this lot, just the thing for the camping season, will wear well and look well. Regular price, 90c. each. Summer Sale Price, 50c.

BOYS' PRINT SHIRTS, 35c.

3 doz. only Boys' Print Shirts, in soft and hard bosoms. Sizes 12, 13, 14, 15. Regular value 50c. and 60c. All at one price during the Sale.—35c. each.

Sale Begins Wednesday, July 22nd, and Lasts 30 Days.

A storm is coming. We know it, we feel it—a storm of unquestionable approval of our methods of doing business, and we cinch it by placing before you the most extraordinary bargains ever seen in Red Deer.

C. E. HALL,
Red Deer's Cash Store. Smith & Gaetz Block.

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"QUALITY"

is the first consideration in anything about this drug. In some lines of business, price may be the big talking point, but should not be tolerated in the Drug business.

Quality, regardless of price, should be the main factor, and it is here.

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Local and General

The Red Deer Cadet Corps will hold its first drill Friday night, at 7.30 sharp, on the school grounds.

Miss Nora Petman, of Toronto, and Mrs. R. A. Robertson, of Edmonton, are the guests of Mrs. George Wright.

There will be no service at St. Luke's church on Sunday evening next, as Rev. Mr. Moore will conduct service at Sylvan Lake on that occasion.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's desires to thank all those, who by their generous donations and helping hand in every way, tended to make the recent garden party at "Woodlands" such a success.

Henry Skippin and John Moore, of Green Bay, were recently the guests of W. J. Stringer of that section. Mr. Skippin was favourably impressed with the country.

Mr. C. K. Wright informs us that if farmers and others needing help will communicate with him he will take pleasure in putting them in touch with good men who want work.

The Directors of the Red Deer Creamery will meet for a short time on Friday July 31st at 12.30 on the same day that the pork packing commission will meet the farmers at Red Deer.

William Sharp, the well known purebred stockman, of Lacombe, and Mrs. Sharp, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bowley during the fair, Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Bowley being sisters.

Miss Florence Bawtineimer, who underwent an operation for appendicitis on July 1st, returned to her home on Saturday the 18th, cured. Seventeen days is very quick to get over such a serious operation.

The Piper Brick Co. have just finished burning their first kiln and they have now over 100,000 of first class brick for sale. They intend pushing the works to the limit if they can find customers for their product.

Mrs. G. W. Greene and family, and her guests, Miss Helen Webster, of Edmonton, and Jack Hall, of Calgary, are spending some time at Sylvan Lake. G. W. Greene goes to Banff to attend the Alberta Law Society.

A lady who is fond of dogs drew our attention to the shortage of water to be found on our streets where a canine could get a drink. In the Old Country she said drinking dishes can be found in all the cities for dogs as it prevents animals going mad.

J. Hamilton McDonald, Editor of the Strathcona Plaindealer, was in town on Monday, on his way to a family wedding, out at Hilledown, Miss Bodwell and H. Carrigan being the contracting parties. We have as yet been unable to secure particulars.

Gilbert Colborne, of Hillsdown, who had his leg broken while holding a horse in Reid's blacksmith shop a short time ago, is doing nicely at the hospital. The unfortunate accident will prevent Mr. Colborne taking much part in haying which is in full swing now.

Mr. Lee, successor to Mr. G. B. Goodell in the employ of the Union Stock Yards was in town Monday of last week looking for Mr. Root. Learning that Mr. Root was in attendance at the Innisfail fair, he went to that town and a conference was held by the two gentlemen relative to matters of interest to stock growers. Mr. Lee came at the request of Mr. Leonard, manager of the Union Stock Yards. Mr. Root gave Mr. Lee's card to Mr. Bower and it is hoped the pork commission may be able to derive some help from the experience of this company.

Headaches Due to Eyestrain

can be corrected by properly fitted glasses in properly adjusted frames. Many nervous disorders arise from neglect to procure glasses or from improperly fitted glasses.

Don't take any chances. If you have eye trouble consult an optician whose reputation for good work inspires confidence.

Our optician Mr. Gaetz has made a success of this work that is too well known to require comment. Make an appointment with him and he will help you.

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Sad Suicide of a Young Farmer.

On Sunday word was brought into Stettler that a young man named Vivian Leyland had been found dead in the shack on his homestead with a bullet wound through his heart. From what his neighbors say he has appeared somewhat despondent recently and must have committed the rash act some 3 or 4 days previous to the discovery of the body. Deceased apparently fixed the gun on a table in front of him and discharged it with a stick. Leyland was only some 27 years of age and was a bachelor, and is reported to have a brother living in Montreal. He lived in Red Deer for some time and was familiarly known as "Steve" Leland. He was of a particularly bright and cheerful nature and his untimely end is very sad news to a large circle of friends.

Elections in Saskatchewan.

The first legislature of the province of Saskatchewan, after an existence of a little over two and a half years, was dissolved on Monday the 20th, and a new election called for the shortest possible time, namely 20 days from date.

The Scott government was afraid to wait until the Dominion election was held, as the chances of the return of the Laurier government is becoming less every day.

It was therefore decided to attempt to snatch a verdict from the people before the opposition could possibly get their forces into line.

There will be forty seats in the second legislature, as a redistribution of seats took place at the last session of the legislature.

At Sylvan Lake.

Among those who are rusticated at Red Deer's watering place for a short time are:

Dr. and Mrs. Plaxton, Mrs. Addison and children.

R. W. Grieve, Mrs. Grieve and Miss Morrison.

Misses Peterson Good and Klippert.

L. C. Fulmer and family.

W. E. Payne and family.

Mrs. Springbett and family.

Mrs. Jos. Smith and family.

G. W. Smith and family.

G. W. Greene and family.

W. L. Gibson.

Charlie Murphy.

J. J. Gaetz and wife.

The Misses Cowan.

H. Wallace and wife.

J. Mann and wife and Mrs. Stephenson.

R. B. Woodsworth, wife and family, and Miss Clark.

Will McKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis.

A large number were out also over Sunday.

Mr. Fulmer has the sailing boat, Janet K., on commission and entertained the visitors to a sail on the lake Saturday night and Sunday.

PROROGATION TOOK PLACE ON MONDAY.

Ottawa, July 20.—The fourth session of the tenth parliament came to a quick close at noon of the 23rd of the session. In the absence of Earl Grey, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick attended the senate and read the speech, which was an unusually long document.

On Sir Charles' own request he was not attended by an escort nor received by a guard of honor, the first time on record. There was a meagre attendance of members of both houses. The commons met at 11 and were occupied with odd work till noon.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier moved and Hon. Mr. Borden seconded, inviting the parliamentary peace union to meet at Ottawa in 1909.

Markets.

The Red Deer markets, up to May 20th, are as follows:

No. 1 Hard Wheat 85c.
Oats, feed, small lots 40c.
Oats, feed, large lots 35c.
Mutton, dressed 12c.
Pork 10c.
Pork, live weight 45c.
Veal, dressed 7c.
Chickens dressed 12c.
Butter 20c. to 25c.
Eggs 15c.

BINDER TWINE !

We have just unloaded a car load of Brantford Twine, manufactured by the Farmers' Binder Twine Co., Brantford, Canada, which will be sold at the

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PRICE.

BAWTINHEIMER & Sons

Poplar Ridge.

Miss Tingley has been visiting friends in the neighborhood for the past week.

Mrs. F. Fisher, Sr. left last Monday for Montana where she intends making her home for the future.

Mr. and Mrs. Withnell are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Trenville.

Stewart Cowan met with a very painful accident the other day by being kicked by a horse.

James Mason stopped for a while, on the way down to his ranch in the Hand Hills.

While at work on his ranch Saturday last Norris Goodwin had the misfortune to run a barbed nail into his foot.

Fred Elridge, Harvey DePue and Clint Andrews were in Red Deer this week making applications for their patents.

Asst. p.m. McKenzie has secured the household furniture held by D. Calkwell.

Miss Florence Paulson will soon start for a trip to the Dakotas.

N. Goodwin at Red Deer to secure a homestead.

For Sale.

Cow and calf. Splendid milk. Heifer calf, one month old. W. HUSKINS, Eccles St.

Wanted.

Good General Servant Wanted. Apply to MRS. DR. PARSONS, Red Deer, July 21st, '08.

Notice.

A meeting of the Council of L. I. D. 1074 will be held in the Post Office Block, Red Deer, on Saturday, July 25th, at 1 p.m. All ratepayers are invited.

Notice.

We, the undersigned, desire to intimate to the general public that we have gone into the milk business to stay, and will sell milk to the first of October for five cents per quart and during the winter season for 7 cents per quart, dropping back to 5 cents again next summer. Satisfying your trade, we remain yours for business.

R. O. FITCH & SONS.

Hair-cutting 25 cents. Boys' Hair Cut 15 cents. Shaving 15 c. Neck Shave 5 c.

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Razors Honed 25c. Shampooing 25c. Beard Trimmed 15 cents.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

In the Matter of Ella McLennan, Insolvent.

NOTICE is hereby given that the said Ella McLennan of the Town of Red Deer in the Province of Alberta, Miller, lately carrying on business at the said Town of Red Deer, has made an assignment under Chapter Six of the Ordinances of the province of Alberta 1907, of all her property to me the undersigned of the said Town of Red Deer, for the general benefit of her creditors.

A meeting of the creditors of the said Insolvent will be held at the office of J. L. Crawford, in the said Town of Red Deer, on Saturday the first day of August, 1908, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate.

All persons claiming to be entitled to rank on the estate must file their claims with the proofs and particulars thereof, required by the said Act, on or before the day of such meeting, after which day I will proceed to distribute the assets thereof, having regard to those claims only of which I shall then have received notice.

DATED at Red Deer this 21st day of July, A. D. 1908.

J. L. CRAWFORD, Assignee.

Steer Strayed.

From the C. P. R. stock yards, Monday evening the 13th of July, ran, three year old, branded H4 on right hind leg, any person having this steer in their herd will kindly leave word at the News Office. GAETZ BROS. Red Deer, July 18th 1908.

CREDIT

AUCTION SALE.

Having received instructions from Mr. W. A. Skillington, who is retiring from farming on account of ill health, I will sell by public auction at Mr. Peter Reid's place, C. & E. trail, N.W. 1, 10, 30, 27, 3 miles north of Blackfalds, 6 miles north of Red Deer, at 1 o'clock,

MONDAY, AUGUST 3RD.

The following stock and implements:

CATTLE.

10 Fine Dairy Cows, 10 Spring Calves Pedigree Red Faced Bull, 2 yrs. old, imported.

Bay Brood Mare, 1500 lbs., foal at foot, 1200 lbs.

Golding, black, 1000 lbs. 2 Ponies.

Good Berkshire Sow, 1 yr. 7 Spring Pigs.

IMPLEMENTS.

Sylvester shoe drill, 10 shoes. 2 Mowers. Hay Rake. Plough, 14-inch Set. Drag Harrows, 3 section.

Top Buggy. Wagon complete. Melotte Cream Separator.

Set Bob Sleight. Hay rack. Side saddle, nearly new. Set, heavy double Harness, with blinkers.

Set single harness with collar. Also 25 Acres crop, oats, on N.E. 1, 2, 30, 27, 2 miles S.E. from place of sale.

HOUSEHOLD.

Cook stove. Heater, coal or wood. Bedstead, spring mattress. Mattress. Camp bedstead.

Tables, Bureau, cooking utensils, chairs, cupboard, etc.

Terms of Sale: All sums \$15 and under cash. Over that amount 9 months credit, joint bankable notes, bearing 8 per cent interest; 4 per cent off for cash on sums over \$15.

W. A. Skillington, S. W. Paisley, Proprietor, Auctioneer.

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Special for Fair Week !

5 only 28-inch Adams Wagon Boxes, less seat, at one-fourth less than cost price, namely \$14.75. These Boxes are blistered with standing outside, and some are warped, but all good Boxes—some better than others. Come and get first choice.

This is an opportunity to secure a good hard wood Wagon Box at 25 per cent less than cost. This offer stands until July 30, and only five to go at this figure.

Our ambition is to have nothing but bright, clean, up-to-date goods, and as these boxes are not strictly in that class, therefore they must go at a loss.

Look us up while at the Fair. Our 1908 Binder is a dandy. Better look them over.

Please leave that Twine order.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.

OF COURSE EVERYONE WANTS THE VERY BEST GROCERIES TO TAKE TO THE LAKE. OUR STOCK IS, AS USUAL, FRESH AND PURE.

WE CARRY:

CROSSE AND BLACKWELL'S JAMS SARDINES
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WAGSTAFFE'S JAMS CANNED CHICKEN
RASPBERRY VINEGAR CANNED BEEF
FRUIT SYRUPS CANNED TONGUE
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